

APPLICANT: Alan William Atkinson et al

SERIAL NO: 09/623,785 ART UNIT: ~~1771~~

FILED: October 27, 2000

FOR: GASKET COATING

The Commissioner for Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

DEC 08 2000

TC 1700



December 1, 2000

S i r:

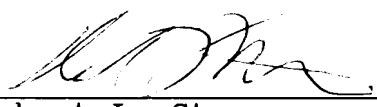
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

No prior art any more material to the patentability
of the invention as claimed than that already of record is
known.

Respectfully submitted,

Alan William Atkinson et al

By their attorney,


Robert L. Stearns
Registration No. 36,937
5291 Colony Drive North
Saginaw, Michigan 48603
517-799-5300

kmc

CERTIFICATION 37 C.F.R. 1.8a and 1.10
(Express Mail Label number is **mandatory**)
(Express Mail certification is optional).

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being:

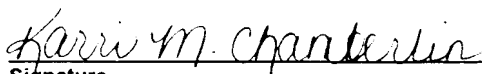
deposited with the United States Postal Service, in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
Washington, D.C. 20231.

37 C.F.R. 1.8a

X with sufficient postage as first class mail.

37 C.F.R. 1.10

as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label
No. _____ (mandatory)


Signature

Date: December 1, 2000

Karri M. Chamberlin
(type or print name of person certifying)